North Dakota Industrial Commission Docket for Hearing

Monday, April 03, 2006 @ 1:30 p.m.

North Dakota Oil and Gas Division Office 1016 East Calgary Avenue Bismarck, North Dakota

Case No. 8954:

On a motion of the Commission to consider the application of Whiting Oil & Gas Corporation for an order allowing a horizontal well in Section 19, T.142N., R.102W., Billings County, North Dakota, to be drilled in such fashion that the well bore is open in the Birdbear Pool at a location as close as 529.7 feet from the north line and 453.3 feet from the east line of said Section 19 as an exception to the provisions of existing spacing orders for the Roosevelt-Birdbear Pool which require such well bores to be located at least 500 feet from the boundary of the spacing unit, or for such other and further relief as the Commission deems appropriate.